

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**Notice of Proposals to Engage in Permissible Nonbanking Activities or to Acquire Companies that are Engaged in Permissible Nonbanking Activities**

The companies listed in this notice have given notice under section 4 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1843) (BHC Act) and Regulation Y, (12 CFR Part 225) to engage *de novo*, or to acquire or control voting securities or assets of a company that engages either directly or through a subsidiary or other company, in a nonbanking activity that is listed in § 225.28 of Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.28) or that the Board has determined by Order to be closely related to banking and permissible for bank holding companies. Unless otherwise noted, these activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Each notice is available for inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notice also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the question whether the proposal complies with the standards of section 4 of the BHC Act.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding the applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than February 17, 1998.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *Cornhusker Growth Corporation*, Lincoln, Nebraska; to acquire Johnston Growth Corporation, Johnston, Iowa, and thereby indirectly acquire Johnston Charter Bank, Johnston, Iowa, a *de novo* organization, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4) of the Board's Regulation Y.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, January 16, 1998.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention****The National Center for Infectious Diseases (NCID) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Announces the Following Workshop**

Name: Addressing Emerging Infectious Diseases II: Entering the 21st Century.

Times and Dates: 10:30 a.m.-5:45 p.m., January 22, 1998; 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m., January 23, 1998.

Place: CDC, Auditorium A, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30333.

Status: Open to the public, limited only by the space available.

Purpose: The purpose of this workshop is to discuss the proposed update to the CDC Plan, "Addressing Emerging Infectious Diseases Threats: A Prevention Strategy for the United States."

Matters To Be Discussed: The Workshop will consist of a revision and up-dating of goals, directions, prevention, and control strategies of emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases of the 21st Century. The agenda will include an NCID update; an overview of CDC Emerging Infections Plan 1998-2003; discussion; charge to the workgroups on (a) surveillance and response, (b) applied research, (c) prevention and control, and (d) infrastructure; a review of the workgroup progress; and reports.

The working groups will consist of representatives from national and international organizations, and State and Federal representatives.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Written comments are welcome and should be received by the contact person listed below prior to the opening of the meeting.

Contact Person for More Information: Diane S. Holley, Office of the Director, NCID, CDC, M/S C-20, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30333, telephone 404/639-0078.

Dated: January 16, 1998.

Carolyn J. Russell,

Director, Management Analysis and Services Office Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**Administration for Children and Families****Federal Allotments to States for Social Services Expenditures, Pursuant to Title XX, Block Grants to States for Social Services; Revised Promulgation for Fiscal Year 1998**

AGENCY: Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services.

ACTION: Notification of allocation of title XX—social services block grant allotments for Fiscal Year 1998.

SUMMARY: This issuance sets forth the individual revised allotments to States for Fiscal Year 1998, pursuant to title XX of the Social Security Act, as amended (Act). The initial **Federal Register** notice was published on December 2, 1996 based on the authorization level of \$2.380. The appropriation which was enacted on November 13, 1997 (Pub. L. 105-78) decreased the authorization amount for title XX from \$2.380 billion to \$2.299 billion which is a decrease of \$81 million. Grant awards for Fiscal Year 1998 will be issued based on the appropriation amount.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Frank A. Burns, (202) 401-5536.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For Fiscal Year 1998, the allotments are based upon the Bureau of Census population statistics contained in its reports "Population of States by Broad Age Groups and Sex: 1990 and 1995 (CB96-88, Table 4) released May 31, 1996, and "1990 Census of Population and Housing" (CPH-6-AS and CPH-6-CNMI) published April 1992, which was the most recent data available from the Department of Commerce at the time of the Department's initial promulgation.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The allotments are effective October 1, 1997.

FISCAL YEAR 1998 FEDERAL ALLOTMENTS TO STATES FOR SOCIAL SERVICES—TITLE XX BLOCK GRANTS

	Initial FY 98 allotment	Revised FY 98 allotment
Total	\$2,380,000,000	\$2,299,000,000